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Provisional agenda of the Council

1. Opening of the session.
2. Adoption of the agenda.
3. Election of the President.
4. Election of the Vice-Presidents.
5. Report of the Secretary-General concerning the credentials of members of the Council.
6. Election to fill a vacancy on the Legal and Technical Commission in accordance with part XI, section 4, subsection C, article 163, paragraph 7, of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea.
7. Continued consideration, with a view to adoption, of the Regulations on prospecting and exploration for polymetallic sulphides in the Area (ISBA/13/C/WP.1).
8. Consideration of the Regulations on prospecting and exploration for cobalt-rich ferromanganese crusts in the Area.[a]
9. Consideration of the recommendation of the Legal and Technical Commission relating to the approval of a plan of work for exploration.
10. Report of the Legal and Technical Commission.
11. Consideration of the budget of the Authority.[b]
12. Consideration of the scale of assessment for contributions to the budget of the Authority.[b]
13. Proposal to the Assembly of a list of candidates for election of the Secretary-General in accordance with article 162, paragraph 2 (b), of the Convention.
14. Date of the next session of the Council.
15. Other matters.

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[a] Following consideration by the Legal and Technical Commission.
[b] Following consideration by the Finance Committee.

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